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OLD SOLDIERS DAY

Wednesday, September 27th, to be
so Designated at Fair.

The fair company has inaugurated a new feature this year and one that speaks volumes for their appreciation of timeliness and their determination to adequately testify to their interest in others. They have officially designated Wednesday, September 27th, the second day of the 1911 Wood county fair as "Old Soldiers' Day." On that day all the veterans of the Civil War will be the guests of the fair company and every effort will be bent to making it a gala day for them.

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PERRY MEMORIAL.

In the opinion of Gen. Nelson A. Miles, a member of the executive board of the Perry's victory centennial commission, the memorial to the hero of Lake Erie will not be completed in time for the exposition of 1913.

General Miles said that in all probability the foundation would be the only part of the memorial ready for dedication.

FIVE THOUSAND DIVORCES.

One marriage in every eight in Ohio is a failure, according to statistics compiled from court records by the secretary of state's department. During the past year there were 45,294 marriages and 5,521 divorces in the state. The largest percentages of divorces are in the more populous counties, the average in some being one divorce to every five marriages.

Not A Word Of Scandal

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CHURCH ANNIVERSARY

Ironville M. E. Church Almost
Free of Debt.

By a free will offering, \$1,600 was raised Sunday by the congregation of the Ironville M. E. church to apply on a debt of \$3,000, incurred a year ago thru the erection of a new edifice.

The money was raised at the morning services when the first anniversary of the church was celebrated. The Ironville M. E. church was dedicated a year ago. It was erected at a cost of \$8,000 and all but \$3,000 of that debt had been paid. The church debt is now reduced to \$1,300 and the members expect to wipe that out during the coming year.

Appropriate services were conducted Sunday morning at 9:30 o'clock by Rev. J. W. Smith, pastor of the church. Rev. Smith was recently urged by the church board to remain in his present charge for a period of four more years and it was announced Sunday to the congregation that he had accepted.

DISTURBANCE ON CAR.

A young man from Bowling Green was arrested and taken before Mayor Smith of Maumee, charged with drunkenness and other offenses, and Mayor John handed him \$20 and costs, but as he only had five cents in change, he was sent to the Toledo workhouse.

Traffic manager Laney says the company is determined to break up the practice of "drunks" getting on the cars and making other passengers uncomfortable by their disgusting talk and actions.

TO WELCOME BISHOP.

Arrangements are being made by laymen of the Church of the Good Shepherd of Toledo, to give a big parade Sunday, October 1, when the reception for the Rt. Rev. Joseph Schrembs is given.

A meeting was held Monday night when committees were appointed to arrange for the parade.

Invitations to the Knights of St. John, Catholic Knights of Ohio, Catholic Men's Benevolent Association and Gilmour court of Foresters will be issued and the laymen hope to see all of these orders in the parade.

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CONDUCTOR KILLED

Samuel I. Pratt Crushed by Train
at Bates Station.

Samuel I. Pratt, yard conductor on the Toledo Terminal railroad, residing at 1603 Michigan street was instantly killed Sunday morning at Bates station near Rossford, when he fell under a moving train.

The accident occurred at 4:15 o'clock when Pratt and other yard men were switching cars.

There were no witnesses to the accident, but it is presumed that Pratt slipped and fell under the cars which passed over his body, causing instant death.

A Dreadful Sight

to H. J. Barnum, of Freeville, N. Y., was the fever-sore that had plagued his life for years in spite of many remedies he tried. At last he used Bucklen's Arnica Salve and wrote: "It has entirely healed without a scar left." Heals Burns, Boils, Eczema, Cuts, Bruises, Swellings, Corns, and Piles like magic. Only 25c at C. P. Champney's. Sept.

COURT HOUSE NEWS.

Patrick O'Brien has begun an action against Rena Mitchell and other heirs of the late Dora Moke in which he asks for the partition of the Moke estate between the several heirs of which he is one.

The Oil Well Salvage Co. has begun an action against Edward Beverstock and several others, at one time banded in business as the Keystone Oil Co. to recover \$1,980.85 which it is alleged the disbanded company is their debtor for.

Oliver T. Davis et al. have begun an action against Albion N. Olney et al. to quiet the title to lots 308 and 317 in the village of Perrysburg.

The Mechanics Banking Co. of Bradner have begun an action against Charles Eckert and other stockholders in the bank to compel them to put their share of liability in bank stock to satisfy judgment obtained against the institution.

The Koss & German Co. of Fostoria, have begun suit against William and Eugene Richards to recover \$327.74. They say that the defendants made a contract with them whereby they were to furnish all the lumber for the construction of a barn on the Edwards place and that the agreement was not lived up to by the defendants.

Fred J. Hendricks has begun an action against Henry Apel for \$350 with interest. Hendricks says that Apel filed two suits against him in common pleas court some time ago and that they effected a settlement under certain stipulated terms which were approved by the court. Hendricks says that he carried out his part of the agreement but that Apel has failed to do so for the extent to which he is sued now.

Probate Notes.

Mary Riehm appointed administratrix of the estate of George P. Riehm deceased.

Angeline McLain and Edward A. McLain appointed executors of will of John McLain, deceased.

Transfers.

Elizabeth Wygant adm. to Mary Shaffington, lot 2, River Tract, Perrysburg township, 910.

Wm. H. Duhamnell et al. to Geo. (Continued on Fourth Page.)

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NORTH BALTIMORE FIRE

Results in \$120,000 Loss to Wood
County Town.

The village of North Baltimore was visited by a disastrous fire early Saturday morning causing a loss of about \$120,000 to the business part of the town, as about half of the best business locations in the town are now in ruins.

The losses are: Stouffer Brothers, hardware, building \$5000, insurance \$3500, stock, \$28,000, insurance, \$10,000.

Dr. J. E. Sommers' estate, building \$5500, insurance \$1500.

H. M. Sommers, drug store and wall paper, stock, \$10,000, insurance \$4,500; saved \$2,000 worth.

Mike Gih, fruit store building \$3,000, insurance \$2,000, stock \$2,500, insurance, \$1,500.

Dr. Cavitt, \$200 on stock.

A. J. Schmidt & Co., dry goods, \$22,000, insurance \$12,000.

Clark A. Browning, Toledo, building, \$30,000.

Dr. Henry, stock \$1,500; L. M. Lecker, Sidney, Ohio, building \$8,000, three-fourths insurance.

Hardy Bank, upper stories of building, \$5,000, forty per cent insurance.

Dr. Reddin, probably \$400 loss on stock. Some saved.

W. L. Hough, \$5,500 grocery stock, \$4,000 insurance.

Dr. Milbourn, \$1,500 dentist stock, \$500 insurance.

The cause of the fire is unknown. It made its appearance in the rear of a fruit store, and then spread to the other wooden buildings in the rear of the brick buildings which lined the streets.

CATHOLIC KNIGHTS.

With the election of officers the annual convention of the Catholic Knights of Ohio, held in the village of Maumee, came to an end Tuesday afternoon. The officers elected were: President, Joseph J. Pater of Hamilton; vice president, H. J. Shackelford, Dayton; secretary, C. J. Anthony, Cleveland, and trustees for three years, C. W. Moeling of Delphos. The other officers are elected for one year.

Two state trustees hold over. They are James J. Flood of Toledo and Joseph Huth of Cincinnati. Joseph J. Pater, the new president, who hails from Hamilton, was active in organizing the order 20 years ago and served as the first state president. C. J. Anthony, who was re-elected secretary, has filled that office with honor for the past 12 years.

Dayton Chosen for 1912.

Dayton was selected as the convention city for 1912, winning after a spirited contest from Cincinnati and Norwood.

The work of the convention which opened Monday was resumed Tuesday morning after the delegates had attended solemn requiem high mass at St. Joseph's church offered for the souls of the deceased members of the order. Rev. John Schutz of Mansfield was celebrant; Rev. J. Schneider, Columbus, deacon; Rev. Edward Widmar, Miller City, subdeacon, and William Nachtrab, master of ceremonies.

The convention just closed was one of the most successful in the history of the order and much of the success is due to the untiring energy of Rev. T. M. Redding, pastor of St. Joseph's church, and Michael Dowling, chairman of the committee on arrangements. There were 165 delegates in attendance and all were enthusiastic over the hospitality extended to them by the citizens of Maumee.

The Catholic Knights of Ohio is one of the strongest fraternal organizations in the state. Organized 20 years ago in Hamilton, the membership has grown to an enrollment of 78,000 and since its organization \$1,400,000 have been paid to beneficiaries.

SCHOOL ENROLLMENT

Seventy-two Per Cent of the Total
School Enumeration.

At the end of the first week of school the grades had the following number of pupils enrolled:

1st grade—Mrs. E. Chapman, 47.
2nd grade—Miss Bertha Hillbrand, 46.

3rd grade—Miss Ola Hartshorn, 36.
4th grade—Miss Ada Munger, 35.

5th grade—Miss Lillie Broka, 35.
6th grade—Miss Anna Roether, 39.

7th grade—Miss Eva Zingg, 29.
8th grade—Miss Luella Graham, 28.

High school—Miss Hazel Coberly, principal; Miss Martha Maize, assistant principal; Miss Helen Smith, special and music and drawing, 70.

This makes the total enrollment 365, which is over 72 per cent of the total school enumeration.

There are a few children of school age whom the truant officers will have "to look up." We know of no valid reason why any parent in Perrysburg should fail to comply with the legal requirements in sending their children to school. If there is, the truant officer is the person to whom such reason should be made known.

TOWNSHIP TEACHERS.

Saturday, the 16th inst, the teachers of Perrysburg township will meet at 1:30 p. m. in the town hall. This meeting will be for discussion of matters important to the schools of the township. Arrangements will be made for O. T. R. C. work and such other professional work as the teachers may decide upon.

"MUCH ADO ABOUT NOTHING."

On Monday evening a crowd of a hundred people assembled at the corner of Main and Second streets in anticipation of something exciting when it was understood the tracks of the Maumee Valley Railway company would be removed from the center of Main street where it crosses Second Street.

The paving of Second street made the removal of the tracks necessary. The Council had given the railway company official notice of the fact, but as they had failed to take any action, it became necessary to lift the track where it crossed the street.

The fact that the company has failed to use the line which runs through this street for about 18 months, and that they probably never would use it, having practically forfeited their franchise over that part of the line, robs the event of the removal of the tracks of the sensationalism which the Toledo evening dailies gave to it.

There was no excitement and no objection made to the removal of the rails.

The Council found it necessary to take immediate action and a special meeting was held Monday at which the order was made to remove the tracks and the contractor proceeded to carry out the order of the Council using his traction engine to pull up the rails and ties instead of the usual slower method of crowbar and pick.

The work of paving that portion of the street can now go on just as though there had never been a foot of rails on the line—and as yet there is no danger or bloodshed over the pulling up of a few ties and rails.

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PIONEER MEETING

Admirable Address Enjoyed by Very
Small Audience.

In his address before the Maumee Valley Pioneer Association meeting held at Fort Meigs on Saturday last, Rev. George W. Lowry of Perrysburg, paid a glowing tribute to the men who defended Fort Meigs and those who fought in the early war of 1812-1813, who redeemed this Northwest territory and broke England's last hold on the United States.

He dwelt strongly upon the importance of that war, and contrary to the expressed opinions of many historical writers, Rev. Lowry claimed it was a most highly important and necessary war. He claimed that in the early part of the nineteenth century over 3,000 of our countrymen were serving England on the high seas, having been seized and forced to serve in the British navy, an insult to our country that was unbearable. The flag of the United States was despoiled and disregarded by other countries and especially Great Britain, and this war had much to do with compelling recognition and respect to Old Glory by the other nations of the world.

Rev. Lowry made a strong appeal for due honor for the heroes of the defense of Ft. Meigs and the northwest with those of who fought under Perry on Lake Erie, in the centenary exercises to be held in 1913.

The address of Rev. Lowry was a splendid effort and should have been heard by a larger audience.

D. K. Hollenbeck, president of the Maumee Valley Pioneer and Historical association presided over the meeting and he also presented Fort Meigs' claim for recognition.

J. B. Wilson of Bowling Green, a member of the Ft. Meigs Commission, paid a glowing tribute to the memory of John L. Pray, who was one of the men who labored so long and zealously in the cause of redeeming Ft. Meigs from the neglect which had been given it during the greater part of a century.

A unanimous resolution of respect and recognition for Mr. Pray was adopted by the association, and on motion of Mr. Wilson, Mr. Hollenbeck was named to draw up a suitable memorial for Mr. Pray to be recorded in the journal of the association.

An original poem by Dr. D. R. Canfield, of Perrysburg, descriptive of the beauty and historical interest of the fort was read by the writer.

Visitors were present from many distant places, and the beauty of the grounds, which are being improved and beautified more and more under the care of William Shipley, was the subject of general admiration.

YUNKER'S BODY.

The last body to be recovered from the waters of the bay after the Nemo accident was that of Rudolph Yunker.

After lying for a week in an unidentified grave at the county infirmary, the body of Rudolph Yunker, 50, of 1301 Detroit avenue, drowned by the steamer Phillip Minch the morning of Saturday, September 7, was exhumed Sunday morning by order of Coroner Hentzler, and identity completely established.

The identity of the corpse was established through gold bridge work on the teeth of the lower jaw, and the shoe on the right foot.

The body was found floating near the spot where the Nemo had been wrecked, the night of Monday, September 4; nude but for a shoe on the right foot, and with the left foot off at the ankle. After friends and relatives of Yunker had failed to identify the body it was buried in the infirmary cemetery.

Dr. A. C. Hills, dentist of Ashland and West Bancroft, was called after the corpse had been exhumed, and examined the teeth of the dead man. He was able to state positively that the bridge work on the lower teeth had been put in by him for Yunker a few months ago.

The shoe on the right foot, which had been left on when the corpse was buried, was removed, and the name of the maker, George Hoberger, shoemaker, of 1421 Door street was found on the inside. Other shoes of Yunker bore the same label.

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